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1. AFTER DISCUSSIONS WITH GOJ EMBASSY OFFICIALS MAY 1, WE HAVE DECIDED THAT IT PREFERABLE THAT WE INFORM ROK EMBASSY HERE OF DISCUSSIONS ON MAY 4 RATHER THAN DO SO IN SEOUL. GOJ WILL INFORM ROK EMBASSY IN TOKYO AS PROPOSED IN REF B. WE WILL TELL ROK THAT WE ARE TAKING ADVANTAGE OF VISIT OF JAPANESE OFFICIALS HERE TO DISCUSS KOREAN ITEM IN UN AND WILL USE OPPORTUNITY TO ALSO EXCHANGE VIEWS INFORMALLY ON DEVELOPMENTS ON KOREAN PENINSULA. WE WILL NOTE THAT GOJ SUPPORT IN UN CRITICAL AND EXCHANGE OF VIEWS IMPORTANT IN DEVELOPING CONCERTED OUTLOOK. IF ASKED BY FOREIGN MINISTRY, EMBASSY CAN TAKE SAME LINE. WE WILL TELL ROK EMBASSY WE WILL REVIEW TALKS WITH THEM.

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- 2. WE WILL COORDINATE WITH JAPANESE OFFICIALS HERE DURING TALKS AS TO HOW WE WILL HANDLE QUESTION OF BRIEFING ROK AT CONCLUSION OF TALKS.
- 3. WE HAVE AGREED WITH JAPANESE EMBASSY THAT TALKS WILL BE INFORMAL, WITH BOTH SIDES FREE TO RAISE QUESTIONS GENERALLY RELATED TO OBJECTIVES OF TALKS. TALKS WILL PROCEED ALONG FOLLOWING LINES:
- A. MAY 8. DISCUSSION OF GENERAL TRENDS IN NORTHEAST ASIA AS RELATED TO KOREA; NORTH/SOUTH RELATIONS; DISCUSSION OF KOREA ITEM AT THE UN; UN PRESENCE IN THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA; DISCUSSION OF ROK POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS; ROK ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENTS.
- B. MAY 9. DISCUSSION OF U. S. AND JAPANESE POLICIES TOWARD KOREAN PENINSULA; FREE DISCUSSION; SUMMING UP. ROGERS

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